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Application of: TODD C. PETERSON ET AL.

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METHODS FOR GENERATING AND SCREENING NOVEL METABOLIC

PATHWAYS

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PETITION TO ENTER PHOTOGRAPHIC FIGURES UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h)

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

For:

In response to the Notice of Allowability, mailed by the Patent and Trademark Office on October 1, 1997, Applicants hereby Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(b), for entry of Figures 11 and 12A-12C in the form of black and white photographs. The fee required with this Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(b)(1) is estimated to be \$130.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h). Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this document is enclosed for accounting purposes.

The present response is timely, because it is submitted within three months of the mailing of the Notice of Allowability.

Photocopies of the currently filed photographs were submitted as informake Figures 11 and 12A-12C. For this reason, it is respectfully requested that this Petition be granted and that photographic Figures 11 and 12A-12C, provided in triplicate according

to 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(b)(ii), be entered in place of informal Figures 11 and 12A-12C. Individual non-photographic formal Figures 1-10 and 13-14 are submitted concurrently herewith.

Dated: December 5, 1997

Respectfully submitted,

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